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Address—THE WEEKLY STAR, Kansas City, Mo.

Dode Chrane arrived last Friday from Gravett, Ark., to look after some real estate matters. He has fattened to an extent that indicates his locality is a good health resort.

Mrs. R. R. Evans of Oklahoma City writes that she enjoys the Courier very much. We appreciate the compliment.

O. B. Johnson, 172 N. Halsted Street, Chicago, Ill., president of the largest concern of its kind in the world, wants three or four men in Chariton county and several men in adjoining counties, to work for him spare time or all the time. He can use only those who have a rig or auto. Work is very pleasant and no previous experience is necessary. Work consists of leaving a wonderful new household necessity in the home on free trial. Tests at more than thirty of the leading Universities and the U. S. Government's Bureau of Standards show this new article to be four times as efficient as article now in general use in this section. Article is needed in every rural home and benefits every member of the household, bringing cheer, comfort and happiness into the home. Not necessary to be away from home nights. Pay from \$6.00 to \$15.00 per day according to ability and number of homes visited. In writing Mr. Johnson mention what townships will be most convenient for you to work in; what your regular occupation is; your age; married or single; how long you have lived in the community; what kind of a rig or auto you have; whether you wish to work spare time or steady; how much time you will have to devote to the work; when you can start, and about how many homes are within six miles of you in each direction. This is a splendid opportunity for several men in Chariton county and counties adjoining to make good money, working steady or spare time. Some of the field men earn \$300.00 per month; one farmer earned \$1,000.00 working spare time only. No investment or bond necessary. 4-5

THICK, GLOSSY HAIR FREE FROM DANDRUFF

Girls! Try it! Hair gets soft, fluffy and beautiful—Get a 25 cent bottle of Danderine.

If you care for heavy hair that glistens with beauty and is radiant with life; has an incomparable softness and is fluffy and lustrous, try Danderine. Just one application doubles the beauty of your hair, besides it immediately dissolves every particle of dandruff. You can not have nice heavy, healthy hair if you have dandruff. This destructive scurf robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life, and if not overcome it produces a feverishness and itching of the scalp; the hair roots fall out fast. Surely get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store and just try it.

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflammation of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed it has a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that can't be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Circulars free. All Druggists, etc.

Erbland Farm Sold

S. B. Shallenberger of Clar-ence, Mo., Wednesday closed negotiations with Geo. W. Erbland for his farm 2½ miles north-west of town. There are 160 acres in the farm and it was sold at \$90 an acre. Possession will be given March 1, 1917. Mr. Erbland disposed of his personal property some months ago, and only recently rented the farm to Guy Gooch of Kansas. The deal was made through J. D. Dunn, a local real estate agent.

Mike Neal of Salisbury and Brunswick was in town Saturday.

Karcher Theatre Leased

Thos. Karcher of Salisbury has leased his opera house to Carl A. Bernert of Booneville who will convert it into a picture house, under the name, "The Dixie." Lee Whittington will be in charge of the machinery and Miss Bettie Koenig of Marshall, Mo., the musician.

Unclaimed Letters.

List of unclaimed letters held at the postoffice at Keytesville, Mo.

Chase, Col. L. W.
Doyle, W. M.
Dutley, Mrs. Lucy
Frazin, Mrs. Willis
Grace, Mrs. Low
Grubbs, Elias
Harsh, Berrie
Lockhart, Mrs. Lurene
Lidson, Jenive
Owens, Mrs. Emma
Stanley, Mrs. May
Salters, Mrs. Della
Smith, Elmer
Walker, Mrs. Maude
Wiseman, James
When calling for same please say advertised.

Geo. H. Applegate, P. M.
per H. N. Elliott.

Administrator's Notice

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration as administrator of the estate of Florilla A. B. Cook, deceased, have been granted the undersigned administrator of said estate by the Probate Court of Chariton County, Missouri, said letters being dated January 31, 1916.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to me for allowance within six months from the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any of the benefits of said estate, but if such claims are not exhibited within 12 months from said date they will be forever barred.
3-6 M. W. Anderson,
Administrator.

Horse and Jack for Sale

7-year-old, 2000-pound
Coal Black

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Sure Foal Getter

Black 6-year-old

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SYMPATHY

O sympathy is such a little thing,
But how it helps the heart of life to sing.
And how it smooths the wrinkled brow of care
And lifts the heart of sorrow from despair—
So small, so wee, so little cost to give it
But conquering words are in it when we live it.

A word of love; a gentle touch of hand—
And eyes look up across the level land
To see the sunshine once more glowing bright,
And all the day a coronet of light,
With tears forgotten and the future gleaming
In all the laughter of love's golden dreaming.

All need it here, the mighty and the low,
Its tender cheer, its soft and gentle glow,
Its sweetness of the heart that tries to feel

For those who've felt the hard and bitter steel
Of fate upon them, and the wrath that sunders
Joy and life's peace and all its splendid wonders.

So tiny and so easy to be brought
To those who need it in a word, a thought,
A song, a comfort, a sweet act of love,
That makes the heavens seem more bright above
And all the way of daily toil and trouble,
Bright as a morn when dew and sunshine bubble.

—Baltimore Sun.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

DeWeese-Price

Reverend Meyers said the words which united in marriage Edward DeWeese of Indian Grove and Miss Lillian Price of Chraneville at the Methodist parsonage Wednesday last week. Edward DeWeese is the son of Ellet DeWeese and a young man with a good reputation. Mrs. DeWeese is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Price and a young woman of domestic attainments necessary for a happy home. The young couple will make their residence on a farm near Marcelline.

McDonald—Monk

Married at the court house Saturday afternoon by Rev. Meyers, F. A. McDonald, a school teacher of Prairie Hill, and Miss Lela Monk of Mendon.

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Order of Publication

In the Circuit Court of Chariton County Missouri at Keytesville.

Seneca D. Townsend and Sarah J. Perkinson Plaintiffs.
vs.

Benjamin Cross, Thomas Plemmons, Jonathan Miles, Thomas Cross, Milton Cross, James Coss, Edmond J. Rea, James W. Jones, Barthena Jones, Mary Jones, William Jones, Berry W. Jones, Asa Newton, Angilina Newton, Mary Cross, if living or if dead, their unknown consorts, heirs, devisees, donees, alienees, or immediate, mesne or remote, voluntary or involuntary grantees, Defendants.

The State of Missouri to all of the above named defendants, greeting:

You and each of you are hereby notified that the above named plaintiffs have this 23rd day of February 1916 filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Chariton County, Missouri, at Keytesville in vacation their petition duly verified by their affidavits, wherein said plaintiffs allege that they own and are in possession of the North West quarter of section four (4), township fifty-three (53), range twenty (20), in Chariton County, Missouri, that said land was purchased by Luke Townsend, about February 11th, 1865 and that he at once entered in possession thereof, that said Luke Townsend was plaintiffs' father, and that he departed this life about February 15th, 1867, and that plaintiffs as his heirs took immediately thereafter, the actual and exclusive and adverse possession thereof and have up to the present time been in the actual, open, notorious, continuous and adverse possession thereof against the world and have paid all the taxes thereon to the state and county during all that period:

That the equitable title to said land had emanated from the government of the United States more than ten years prior to the purchase thereof by said Luke Townsend; that Benjamin Cross acquired all the title to said land on December 28th, 1830, by patent from the United States and that the other above named defendants claim said land as heirs, grantees, alienees or devisees of said Benjamin Cross or in some manner to plaintiffs unknown, that plaintiffs nor either of them know the whereabouts or location of either the above named defendants, if living, or if dead plaintiffs nor either of them know the names of their heirs, devisees, grantees, alienees voluntary or involuntary and that there are, or that they verily believe there are persons interested in said real estate herein described as heirs or devisees, of said parties deceased, if deceased, or as claiming by through or under them, whose names plaintiffs can not insert herein because they are unknown to plaintiffs and that the interest claimed by said unknown parties in and to said real estate is derived from the above named defendants by inheritance or conveyance which, plaintiffs do not know as far as their knowledge extends, and said petition further alleges that no one of defendants nor their unknown heirs, devisees, or alienees have paid any taxes on said lands for more than thirty one years next before the filing of this suit and that owing to such facts so stated in said petition all their interest and title to said land has vested in plaintiffs by reason thereof and by virtue of section 1884 Revised Statutes of Missouri 1899, and that because of such facts alleged in said petition and heretofore set out plaintiffs pray that all the title in and to said real estate be fully vested in them and that defendants and their unknown heirs, devisees, donees, alienees or immediate, mesne or remote voluntary or involuntary grantees be forever estopped, and debarred from claiming any interest in

and to said real estate or any part thereof, and for such other decree as the court may deem proper, and you and each of you are further notified that such action is returnable to the first day of the next regular term of said Chariton County Circuit Court to be held at the Court house in the City of Keytesville in said County, on Monday, May 1st, 1916, at which time and place said above named defendants are required and demanded to be and appear and to plead, answer or demur to plaintiffs' said petition, or otherwise the allegations contained in said petition will be taken and considered as confessed, and judgment rendered according to the prayer thereof, forever barring and precluding said defendants from setting up any claim to said land or any part thereof.

It is further ordered by the Clerk of said Circuit Court in vacation that a copy of this order be published in the Chariton Courier a newspaper printed and published in Chariton County Missouri, for four successive weeks the last inserting to be at least four weeks before the first day of said next regular May term of said Circuit Court.

A True Copy—attest.

W. G. Wright,

Clerk of the Chariton County Circuit Court.

State of Missouri, } ss
County of Chariton }

I, W. G. Wright, Clerk of the Circuit Court within and for the County of Chariton and State aforesaid, hereby certify the above and foregoing to be a true and correct copy of order of publication in the cause therein named as the same appears of record in my office.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand as Clerk and affixed the seal of said Court. Done at office in Keytesville Missouri, this 23rd day of February A. D. 1916.

(SEAL) W. G. Wright,
Clerk Circuit Court.

Trustee's Sale

Whereas, Mary A. Cornelius and G. B. Cornelius, her husband, by their certain deed of trust of date October 9th, 1910, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds within and for the County of Chariton and State of Missouri, in book 37 at page 420, conveyed to one Charles E. McWilliams the following described real estate situate in Chariton County, Missouri, to-wit:—

The South-west quarter of the South-west quarter of Section eleven (11) Township fifty-five (55) Range twenty-one (21), in trust however, to secure the payment of a certain promissory note therein described, and Whereas, said trust deed provides that in case of the absence, death, refusal to act, or disability in any wise the (then) acting Sheriff of Chariton County, Missouri, or his successor in office may execute said trust. And Whereas, Charles E. McWilliams, the said trustee is absent and refuses to act as such, Now, Therefore, by virtue of the provisions of said deed of trust and the authority vested in me thereby, and at the request of the legal holder of the said note, I will proceed to sell the property hereinbefore described, at public vendue to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House in the City of Keytesville, Chariton County, Missouri, for cash, on Saturday, March 18th A. D. 1916, for the purposes of said trust.

3-6 Robert E. Hurt,
Sheriff of Chariton County, Mo.

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Prayer Meeting.....Union
Sunday School.....

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Regular Services.....Every Sunday
Prayer Meeting.....Union
Sunday School.....

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East Bound

No. Due.
52 Moberly Accom. 11:08 am
70 Local Freight (except
Sunday) 11:55 am
12 St. Louis Exp. 4:23 pm
4 Atlantic Exp. (flag) ... 1:20 a. m.

West Bound

51 K. C. Accom. 6:50 am
3 West Mail & Exp. 2:13 pm
53 K. C. Accom. 4:41 pm
71 Local Freight (except
Sunday) 9:30 am
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WHITHAM, MO., TIME TABLE

South Bound

No. Due.
52 Mail & Exp. 10:04 am
*70 Local Freight 2:15 pm
12 St. Louis Accom. 3:07 pm

North Bound

51 Mail & Exp. 7:50 am
*71 Local Freight 9:15 am
3 Mail & Exp. 3:07 pm
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